

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

This Amendment is submitted pursuant to a telephonic conference between the Examiner and the Applicants' representative, Justin Dillon, on July 7, 2005. Applicants have amended claims 1 and 13 as per the Examiner's indication of allowable subject matter and canceled claims 7 and 17 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein. Applicants respectfully submit that no new matter has been added by this amendment, and the amendments made herein place all pending claims in condition for allowance. Applicants therefore respectfully request entry of the amendments to the claims.

No fee is believed to be necessary in conjunction with the submission of this amendment. However, in the event any fees are required, please charge IBM CORPORATION'S Deposit Account No. 09-0449. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. However, in the event an extension of time is required, that extension of time is hereby requested. Please charge any fee(s) associated with an extension of time as well as any other fees necessary to further the prosecution of the above-identified application and credit any overpayments to IBM CORPORATION'S Deposit Account No. 09-0449.

Applicant further respectfully requests the Examiner contact the undersigned attorney of record at 512.343.6116 if any additional conference or discussion is believed necessary to further or expedite the prosecution of the present Application.

Respectfully submitted,



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